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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kevin J. Dowling et al.
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Examiner: H. Philogene
Art Unit: 2821

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 27, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Group 1, claims 1-14, 18-20, 34-47, and 51-53 for continued examination.

Applicants make this election without traverse and without prejudice to the filing of one or more divisional applications directed to non-elected subject matter under 35 U.S.C. §121.

Favorable action is hereby earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 21, 2006

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